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February 16, 2007

Mr. William E. Moschella
Assistant Attorney General for Office
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U.S. Department of Justice
950 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Room 1145
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Fax: (202) 514-2141 [3 pages]

Re: Mr. James S. Vinyard
[REDACTED]
Columbia, South Carolina 29212

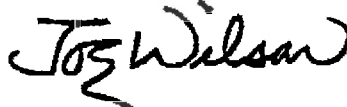
Dear Mr. Moschella,

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It is an honor to represent the people of the Second Congressional District, and I value your input. Thank you for your time and concern in this and all other matters.

Please respond to the Midlands District Office at 1700 Sunset Blvd., Suite 1, West Columbia, South Carolina 29169, Fax: 803-939-0078.

Very truly yours,



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Consent for Release of Personal Records by Executive Agencies

Name of Agency: _____

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To whom it may concern:

I have sought assistance from Congressman Joe Wilson on a matter that may require the release of information maintained by your agency, and which may be prohibited from dissemination under the Privacy Act of 1974.

I hereby authorize you to release all relevant portions of my records or to discuss information involved in this case with Congressman Wilson or any authorized member of his staff until the matter is resolved.

JAMES STEWART VINYARD
Name of Claimant- (Please Print)

Date of Birth

Address of Claimant

COLUMBIA, SC 29212

Social Security Number

VA Claim # or OPM # (if applicable)

Telephone Number-Home

Telephone Number-Work

Signature of Claimant

Today's Date

Please briefly explain your concern:
(use the back if necessary)

Request for assistance
in obtaining a Presidential Pardon for
1 Count of Mail Fraud. I served my sentence,
paid restitution, and made a financial settlement
with appropriate parties. I have waited the
required 5 years before made application

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February 6, 2007

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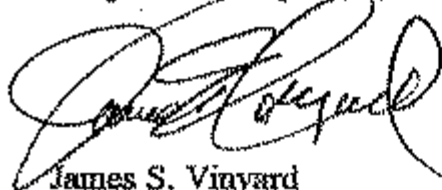
Dear Congressman Wilson:

I want to thank you for your willingness to help with my application for a Presidential Pardon. I have been told that the biggest challenge is just getting the application in front of the President of the United States for his consideration. Coupled with that, your support will certainly be an advantage.

Enclosed is the Privacy Act of 1974 that you asked me to complete. I have also sent you copies of various other letters of support for your review.

I will be looking forward to hearing from you as to what you feel you can do to assist me with this endeavor. Please feel free to contact me if you feel I can ever be of assistance to you.

Respectfully requested,



James S. Vinyard

[REDACTED]
Columbia, SC 29212
[REDACTED]

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U.S. Department of Justice

Office of Legislative Affairs

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Office of the Assistant Attorney General

Washington, D.C. 20530

March 5, 2007

The Honorable Joe Wilson
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Congressman Wilson:

The Department of Justice has received your letter dated February 16, 2007.
We appreciate hearing from you.

Your inquiry has been referred to the proper Department component to prepare an appropriate response. If you have any questions in the interim, you or your staff may call the Office of Legislative Affairs. Please reference workflow number 1140108 when inquiring about your letter. For your convenience, we have included a copy of your original correspondence.

Again, thank you for writing.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Richard A. Hertling".

For Richard A. Hertling
Acting Assistant Attorney General

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U. S. Department of Justice

Pardon Attorney

Washington, D.C. 20530

MAR 27 2007

**The Honorable Joe Wilson
Member, U.S. House of Representatives
1700 Sunset Boulevard, Suite 1
West Columbia, South Carolina 29169**

Dear Congressman Wilson:

Thank you for your letter of February 16, 2007 to the Department of Justice enclosing a letter from your constituent, James S. Vinyard, concerning his application for a Presidential pardon. Mr. Vinyard's pardon petition was received in the Office of the Pardon Attorney in December 2006, and is currently under consideration. Mr. Vinyard wrote that he had "been told that the biggest challenge is just getting the application in front of the President of the United States for his consideration." You may inform your constituent that the Office of the Pardon Attorney prepares the report and recommendation of the Department of Justice in each and every clemency case. Once our report is approved by the Deputy Attorney General, it is sent to the Counsel to the President. I can assure you that the Department of Justice will follow that procedure in Mr. Vinyard's case.

I appreciate your interest in this matter.

Sincerely,

**Roger C. Adams
Pardon Attorney**

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February 1, 2008

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Washington, DC 20530

Fax: (202) 514-2141 [4 pages]

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Re: Mr. James S. Vinyard
[REDACTED]
Columbia, South Carolina 29212

Dear Mr. Moschella,

I am writing to you again on behalf of the above named constituent who has contacted me regarding his Presidential Pardon. Enclosed is a letter from Mr. Vinyard further explaining his concerns.

It is an honor to represent the people of the Second Congressional District, and I value your input. Thank you for your time and concern in this and all other matters.

Please respond to the Midlands District Office at 1700 Sunset Blvd., Suite 1, West Columbia, South Carolina 29169, Fax: 803-939-0078.

Very truly yours,

Joe Wilson

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January 28, 2008

Congressman Joe Wilson
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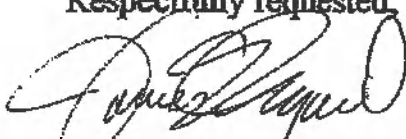
I am writing this letter, as it was suggested for me to do, to request a follow-up from your office on my application for a Presidential Pardon. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] sent me an e-mail yesterday encouraging me to contact your office and request your support in obtaining a Presidential Pardon. [REDACTED] can be reached at [REDACTED] if you would like to get a confirmation and opinion from him directly.

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Any assistance you can offer or suggest would be greatly appreciated. If you need any further information about my application, or other support I have received, please feel free to contact me.

Respectfully requested,



James S. Vinvard

[REDACTED]
York, SC 29745
[REDACTED]



U.S. Department of Justice

Pardon Attorney

Washington, D.C. 20530

MAR 17 2008

The Honorable Joe Wilson
Member, U.S. House of Representatives
1700 Sunset Blvd.
Suite 1
West Columbia, SC 29169

Dear Congressman Wilson:

This is in response to your letter of February 1, 2008, with enclosures, inquiring about the status of the application for presidential pardon filed by your constituent, Mr. James S. Vinyard. I apologize for the delay in replying.

Mr. Vinyard's pardon application remains under consideration, and your letter and its enclosures have been made part of his executive clemency file. The pardon process frequently is lengthy, and we can give no assurance that the President will act upon any given application within a particular time frame. While we thus cannot advise you when Mr. Vinyard may expect a decision regarding his clemency request, please be assured that we will notify him promptly when final action has been taken on his application.

Thank you for your continuing interest in this matter.

Sincerely,

Helen M. Boliwerk
Acting Pardon Attorney

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Congress of the United States House of Representatives

December 12, 2008

Mr. Brian A. Benczkowski, Deputy Assistant Attorney General
Office of Legislative Affairs
U.S. Department of Justice
950 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Room 1145
Washington, DC 20530

Attention: Office of the Pardon Attorney

Re: Michael G. Morgan

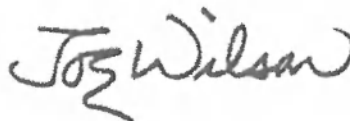
Dear Mr. Benczkowski,

I am writing to you on behalf of the above named constituent who has contacted me regarding the status of his pardon application packet submitted on December 2, 2008. Enclosed is a letter from Mr. Morgan further explaining his concerns. Your kind assistance in this matter within the regulations and laws would be greatly appreciated.

It is an honor to represent the people of the Second Congressional District, and I value your input. Thank you for your time and concern in this and all other matters.

Please respond to the Midlands District Office at 1700 Sunset Blvd., Suite 1, West Columbia, South Carolina 29169, Fax: 803-939-0078.

Very truly yours,



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JAN 30 2009

The Honorable Joe Wilson
Midlands District Office
1700 Sunset Blvd., Suite 1
West Columbia, SC 29169

Dear Congressman Wilson:

I am in receipt of your correspondence of December 12, 2008 regarding the application for presidential pardon submitted by your constituent, Michael G. Morgan. The following information pertains.

Mr. Morgan's petition was received in this office in December 2008 and is being processed. It is impossible to estimate how long it might take for his petition to be adjudicated; however, he will be notified promptly of a decision on his petition shortly after it is made.

I assure you that every consideration will be given to Mr. Morgan's petition; thank you for your letter, which will be made part of his clemency file in this office.

Sincerely,

Ronald L. Rodgers
Pardon Attorney

JOE WILSON

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December 4, 2003

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The Honorable George W. Bush
President of the United States
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, Northwest
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear President Bush,

[REDACTED] of Columbia, South Carolina is a constituent of mine seeking a pardon. I have enclosed a copy of his petition for the pardon with the necessary accompanying documents. I urge full and fair consideration of [REDACTED] petition.

If I may provide more information about [REDACTED] to you, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

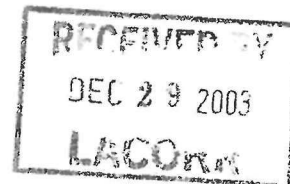


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FEB 20 2004

The Honorable Joe Wilson
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Congressman Wilson:

This is in response to your letter to the President of December 4, 2003, enclosing a copy of the pardon petition of your constituent, [REDACTED] [REDACTED] originally submitted his pardon petition directly to this office in September 2003, and it is currently under consideration. Your support of [REDACTED] is appreciated, and your letter and the enclosure have been made a part of his file. [REDACTED] will be notified promptly when final action has been taken on his application.

Sincerely,

Roger C. Adams

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